[*English*]

Ayurvedic and Sanskrit Colleges

2304 SHRI BHOGENDRA JHA Will the Minister of HUMAN RSOURCE DEVLOPMENT be pleased to state

(a) the number and names of Ayurvedic and Sanskrit Colleges under various Sanskrit Universities of the Country and

(b) the steps being taken for their development?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVLOPMENT (SHRI ARJUN SINGH) (a) and (b) According to information furnished by UGC there are three Sanskrit Universities having Sanskrit and Ayurvedic Colleges affiliated to them and two deemed universities as indicated below –

Sanskrit Universities

1 Sampurnanand Sanskrit University Varanasi

2 K S Dharbanga Sanskrit University Dharbanga

3 Sri Jagannath Sanskrit University, Puri

Deemed Universities

1 Rashtriya Sanskrit Vidyapeeth Tirupathi

2 Shri Lal Bahadur Sastri Rashtriya Sanskrit Vidyapeeth, New Delhi

There are 615 Sanskrit Colleges and 4 Ayurvedic Colleges affiliated to the above three Sanskrit Universities The names of the affiliated colleges are given in the printed publication 'Handbook of India Universities published by the AIU, copy of which is available in the Parliament Library Colleges are generally established by voluntary agencies Trusts or State Governments and their development requirements are met primarily by these agencies The UGC provides development grants to all eligible colleges included in the list of colleges maintained under Section 2 (f) of the UGC Act The Commission has recently taken a decision to include oriental colleges in the list if they fulfill the prescribed conditions The decision of the Commission has been brought to the notice of all Vice-Chancellors for necessary action

Yogasan Course in Schools and Colleges

2305 SHRI BHOGENDRA JHA Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state whether Government propose to make Yogasan Course compulsory in all the schools and colleges for physical development of students?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI ARJUN SINGH No, Sir There is no such proposal

Prices of Tuberculosis Medicines

2306 SHRI RAM NARAIN BERWA Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state

(a) the number of T B patients in the country State wise,

(b) whether there has been a steep increase in the prices of medicines of tuberculosis, and

(c) if so, the steps proposed to be taken by the Government to contain it?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRIMATI D K THARADEVI SIDDHARTHA) (a) The estimated number

of T.B. patients in the country, State-wise is given in th enclosed statement.

(b) and (c). It has ben endeavour of the Government to ensure easy availability of life saving medicines in abundant quantity at reasonable prices to the consumers. However, in a situation of rising cost of inputs, particularly of imported nature some increase in the price of medicines are unavoidable if their availability has to be ensured. Prices of anti-TB drugs have been revised upwards by 15-25% since May, 1991 to compensate the manufacturer for increase in input costs due to exchange rate adjustment. The prices of these formulations are fixed in accordance with the provisions of DPCO, 1987, as per formula and on the basis of fixed norms and after obtaining the recommendations of th BICP which is an expert body of th Government on Industrial Costs and Prices. This arrangement ensures that the price increases allowed are related to actual increase in the input costs.

STATEMENT

S No	*Name of States/ Union Territories*	*Population as per 1991 census (in lakhs)*	*Estimated cases (in lakhs)*
STATES			
1.	Andhra Pradesh	663.00	9.94
2	Assam	223.00	3.34
3.	Arunachal Pradesh	9.00	0.13
4	Bihar	863.00	12.94
5.	Gujarat	412.00	6.13
6.	Harayana	163.00	2.44
7.	Himachal Pradesh	51.00	0.76
8.	Jammu & Kashmir	77.00	1.15
9.	Karnataka	448 00	6.72
10.	Kerala	290.00	4.35
11.	Madhya Pradesh	661.00	9.91
12.	Maharashtra	787.00	11.80
13.	Manipur	18.00	0.27
14.	Meghalaya	15.00	0.27

S. No.	Name of States/ Union Territories	Population as per 1991 census (in lakhs)	Estimated cases (in lakhs)
15.	Mizoram	17.00	0.10
16.	Nagaland	312.00	0.18
17.	Orissa	318.00	4.72
18.	Punjab	232.00	3.03
19.	Rajasthan	430.00	6.58
20.	Sikkim	554.00	0.06
21.	Tamil Nadu	558.00	0.34
22.	Tripura	27.00	0.40
23.	Uttar Pradesh	1338.00	20.82
24.	West Bengal	600.00	10.20
25.	Goa	12.00	0.18
UNION TERRITORIES			
1.	A & N Islands	3.00	0.04
2.	Chandigarh	6.00	0.09
3	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	1.00	0.02
4.	Delhi	94.00	1.41
5	Daman & Diu	1.00	0.02
6.	Lakshadweep	0.50	0.01
7.	Pondicherry	8 00	0.12
	Total	8439.0	126.52

National Parks

2307. SHRI ARJUN CHARAN SETHI:
SHRI MANIKRAO HODLYA GAVIT:
SHRI PARASRAM BHARDWAJ:

Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of National Parks in the country at present, State-wise,

(b) the money allotted and spent for the